

## STATE NEWS.

—Watermelons are still on sale at Denison.

—Cotton seed are selling at nine dollars a ton at Bonham.

—Grayson county will hold a fair and floral show in November.

—The wheat area will be greatly increased in Ellis county next season.

—Governor Culberson formally opened the State fair at Dallas last Saturday.

—Beaumont has organized an irrigation company with a capital stock of \$40,000.

—Brownwood will hold a county stock show on the 4th and 5th of November.

—The Dallas Cotton mills are running night and day, trying to keep up with orders.

—Physicians in Navarro county have decided to fight the new occupation tax law.

A charter has been granted to the Brownwood Oil Mill company; capital stock \$50,000.

—"Weeping Joe" Harding is conducting a series of open air meetings in San Antonio.

—The apple crop in Grayson county is very good and the fruit is bringing fair prices.

—A company has been organized at Denison to manufacture and sell Burnet granite.

—Steps are being taken to reopen the furnaces and other industries at New Birmingham.

—Arrangements are being made for a large increase of the tobacco acreage around Willis.

—Hill county negroes are preparing to give a fair this fall to exhibit the progress of their race.

—Greenville has under way a factory for the manufacture of overalls, shirts, waists and pants.

—An explosion of a locomotive near Brookshire seriously injured a brakeman and fireman.

—Fifteen wagon loads of German colonists are on their way in wagons from Colorado to Harris county.

—A Denton county man had more than one hundred screw worms removed from his nostrils and head.

—Three of the Baylor students implicated in the Brann affair were fined \$25.00 for unlawfully carrying arms.

—McDade Chambers has disposed of his interest in the Waller Free Press to his partner, C. C. Waller.

—Drs. Stovall, Ritchie and Rhodes have been appointed examining surgeons at Terrell for the pension department.

—A heavy hail storm passed over Denison at 12 o'clock last Monday night; stones as large as hen eggs fell, doing great damage to roofs, windows and growing vegetation.

—At Wolfe City last Monday evening Wm. P. Mills was killed by Lee McAfee, who shot him three times. McAfee surrendered to the city marshal. Killing the result of an old feud.

—Fort Worth now has a handsome market building 200x100 feet in size. The walls are of hard brick, the floor of cement and the roof of asphaltum. There are 120 stalls; for night use 120 incandescent and 7 arc lights.

—Colvin Jenkins, colored, has been convicted on the charge of attempting to outrage his own daughter in the district court at Waco and given two years in the penitentiary. Rather light punishment for so grave a charge, especially so when it is stated that his whole family testified against him, the evidence of his two daughters being very severe.

—Two Mexicans and a negro were arrested in Travis county last week for unlawfully gathering pecans.

—Mr. J. R. Sewell, of Chiesman, Burleson county, killed a very large wild cat and caught two kittens while squirrel hunting last Friday.

—Emma Jones, charged with the murder of Ben Grant at Tyler has been convicted of manslaughter and given two years in the penitentiary.

—The county commissioner of Bastrop county have decided to purchase land and establish a pauper farm.

—Will Smalley, the negro who is charged with raping the 8-year old daughter of Henry Brantly, colored, on the night of October 3rd, from the effects of which she died, has been arrested and jailed at Hempstead. He denies the charge and says he can prove an alibi.

WHEN the Associated Press states that the manufacturing and agricultural classes of Mexico are a unit for the retention of the silver standard Texas Farmer presumes the assertion will not be challenged, as that agency is not in the habit of booming silver. Of equal interest is the report that monied men have under consideration a proposal to raise wheat in Mexico for export to the United States. While we are

begging England to permit this country to adopt bimetalism, Mexico is making rapid strides because of the special advantage which she derives from a silver standard in contrast with our own gold standard. At her present rates of progress, the end of another decade will plainly show that Mexico will ultimately dominate the Western World in a financial sense, unless the United States should cut loose from the

apron strings of England and adopt a Western financial system.

STATISTICS of life insurance show that in the last 25 years the average woman's life has increased from about 42 years to nearly 46, or more than 8 per cent. In the same period man's life average has increased from nearly 42 years to about 44, or 5 per cent.

Harrison's.



Harrison's.

## HARRISON'S

## TWO MONTH'S BUSINESS IN ONE.

That's just what every department in our store is going to attempt to do this month. The low price of cotton last month, and other inconveniences caused a falling off in trade, and as the prospect for Better Prices for Cotton is in sight, and inconveniences have been removed, we are working with renewed effort, for the increase in our business, which must surely follow.

To help the occasion along we have made noticeable reductions in all departments. A constant stream of new goods, and a constant exhibition of novelties invite you to our store.

## There's a Significant Something.

About our New Fall Dress Fabrics that throngs the department with ready buyers.

It may be the styles or qualities or prices; perhaps it's a combination of the three; whatever it is, it's doing the business, and a most satisfactory business at that.

Hosts of new wares have arrived during the past few few days.

We want to introduce them to your notice so that you can get first pick.

## Colored Fabrics First.

Hardly know where to begin; just as hard to tell where to stop. Such a grand collection of handsome gownings, and every item of them pleading for a place in print. Here are a few lots at random, they'll have to talk for a stock full.

Boucle Dotted Novelties, at.....	75c
Brocade Novelties in Persian Combinations, at.....	85c
Mohair Figured Granite, at.....	85c
Silk and Wool Novelty in Moire effects, the Moire outlined in colors woven on back ground.....	\$1.10
Silk and Wool Matelasse in combination of Gold and Napolian Blue, at.....	\$1.25
Scotch Novelties, Silk and Wool, a very elegant article.....	\$1.40
Escureal Figured Novelties in six different colorings, at.....	\$1.40
Brocade Camels Hair, exquisite in appearance and rich designs.....	\$1.50
Mohair Figured Granites at.....	\$1.50

Of course we have a big stock stock off all the cheaper grades of goods. In Cashmeres, Serges, Henriettas, Crepons and Bengalines—besides Silk and Trimmings to match.

## Harrison's

Our Shoe Stock has been augmented with New Arrivals, making it full to overflowing.

We have Many Bargains in Leather to which we desire to attract your attention.

One Lot \$4 and \$5 Shoes at \$1.95 each.

Some people wonder at the Busy, hustling look of things in our store.

No mystery about it. It's simply buying what people want, and selling it for less than they expect to pay. This is what has built this business to its present large proportions.

The best of its kind is none too good for our patrons.

## Harrison's.

Our Clothing Room is Fuller than it has, been for a year. We must sell the goods and the price must make the things move.

If a low price is what you want be sure and see what we can do for you or the boys when it comes to Clothing, or furnishings.

We have made special efforts this season to put in a supply of Men's shoes, that are exceptionally good values, and at prices lower than the same qualities have been sold heretofore.

## HARRISON DRY GOODS CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.